

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as follows:

On Page 1, lines 3-12, rewrite the first paragraph as follows:

-- This application is a divisional of application serial no. 10/009,000, filed December 7, 2001, entitled "METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR REMOVING PARTICULATE CONTAMINANTS FROM COMMERCIAL LAUNDRY WASTE WATER", which is a continuation-in-part of application serial no. 09/400,418 filed September 21, 1999, entitled "Method and Apparatus for Removing Particulate Contaminants from Commercial Laundry Wastewater", the complete ~~disclosure~~ disclosures of which ~~is~~ are hereby incorporated by reference herein. ~~This~~ These ~~application~~ applications ~~is~~ also are related to co-owned co-pending application serial no. 09/837,766 filed April 18, 2001, entitled "Method and Apparatus for Removing Particulate Contaminants from Commercial Laundry Wastewater", the complete disclosure of which is hereby incorporated by reference herein.--

IN THE DRAWINGS

Please substitute the formal drawing attached herewith for the drawing of record.